CLAIM LISTING

The following listing of Claims will replace all prior versions and listing of claims in the application

1. (previously presented) A computerized method for conducting a transaction comprising:

receiving an order to deliver a good and payment data identifying an account;

generating a ticket containing electronically readable information representing the payment data;

delivering the ticket with the ordered good; and

upon or following delivery of the good:

electronically reading the ticket with a delivery device;

the delivery device generating a delivery record at least indirectly indicating that the good has actually been delivered, the delivery record containing payment information obtained from reading the ticket, and the payment information at least indirectly identifying the payment data; and

electronically triggering payment from the account utilizing the payment information obtained from reading the ticket.

2. (previously presented) The method of Claim 1, wherein the payment data includes authorization to charge the account and the act of electronically requesting payment comprises electronically charging the account.

3. (previously presented) The method of Claim 2, further comprising electronically placing a hold on the account for a purchase price of the good following receipt of the order.

4. (previously presented) The method of Claim 1, wherein the payment data includes authorization to draw funds on the account and the act of electronically requesting payment comprises electronically drawing funds on the account.

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5. (original) The method of Claim 1, further comprising authorizing release of the good only if the request for payment is approved.

6. (cancelled)

7. (previously presented) The method of Claim 1, wherein the act of generating comprises generating a ticket that further contains electronically readable information representing buyer and goods data, the method further comprises registering the good according to the buyer and goods data upon or following delivery.

8. (previously presented) The method of Claim 1, further comprising, upon or following delivery of the good, electronically recording a recipient's physical location to verify that the good has been delivered to a correct address.

9. (previously presented) The method of Claim 1, further comprising electronically determining a delivery time and electronically calculating a purchase price according to the delivery time and wherein the act of electronically requesting payment comprises requesting payment in the amount of the calculated purchase price.

10. (previously presented) A computer program product for triggering payment upon actual delivery of a good, the product comprising a computer readable medium having computer executable instructions thereon for:

reading, from a ticket delivered with the goods, information representing payment data for the good, the payment data identifying an account; and

generating a delivery record at least indirectly indicating that the good has actually been delivered, the delivery record containing payment information obtained from reading the ticket, and the payment information at least indirectly identifying the payment data; and

initiating payment from the account for the goods utilizing the payment information obtained from reading the ticket.

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11. (original) The product of Claim 10, wherein the payment data includes authorization to draw funds on a debit account and the instructions for initiating payment comprise instructions for prompting the drawing of funds on the account.

12. (original) The product of Claim 10, wherein the payment data includes authorization to draw funds on a credit account and the instructions for initiating payment comprise instructions for prompting the charging of the account.

13. (previously presented) The product of Claim 10, comprising further instructions for verifying payment and authorizing release of the good only upon verification.

14. (previously presented) The product of Claim 10, comprising further instructions for acquiring the physical location of a recipient of the delivered good.

15. (previously presented) The product of Claim 10, comprising further instructions for reading, from the ticket delivered with the goods, information representing buyer and goods data initiating registration of the delivered goods according to the buyer and goods data.

16. (original) The product of Claim 10, comprising further instructions for determining a delivery time and calculating a purchase price according to the delivery time, and wherein the instructions for initiating payment comprise prompting payment in the amount of the calculated purchase price.

17. (previously presented) A system for triggering payment of a delivered goods, comprising:

a ticket delivered with the goods, the ticket containing information identifying an account from which payment for the good is to be received; and

a delivery device operable to read the information from the ticket to identify the account, the delivery device being further operable to:

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generate a delivery record at least indirectly indicating that the good has actually been delivered, the delivery record containing payment information obtained from reading the ticket, and the payment information at least indirectly identifying the account; and

     trigger payment from the account utilizing the payment information obtained from reading the ticket.

18. (previously presented) The system of Claim 17, wherein the delivery device includes:

     a reader operable to read the information from the ticket; and

     a payment trigger operable to initiate payment from the account utilizing the payment information.

19. (original) The system of Claim 18, further comprising a payment verifier in communication with the reader and operable to verify payment from the account and to authorize release of the goods only upon verification.

20. (previously presented) The system of Claim 18, further comprising a position locator in communication with the reader and operable to identify the physical location of the recipient of the good as the reader reads the ticket.

21. (previously presented) The system of Claim 18 wherein the ticket contains information representing buyer and goods data, and the delivery device is further operable to read the buyer and goods data; the system further comprising a registration service in communication with the reader and operable to generate registration data according to the buyer and goods data.

22. (previously presented) The system of Claim 18, wherein the delivery device includes an interface operable facilitate electronic communication between the delivery device and one or more other devices.

23. (previously presented) The system of Claim 18, wherein the delivery device includes a pricing service in communication with the reader and the payment trigger, the

pricing service operable to determine a delivery time for the goods and to calculate a purchase price according to the delivery time, the payment trigger being further operable to initiate payment from the account in the amount of the calculated purchase price.

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